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SUBJECT: POST-SHIPMENT CHECK, ORBITRONIK GMBH

REF: STATE A-2721 DATED APRIL 18, 1975 BEWT/OEA COMPLIANCE
DIVISION, FILE 2-30-D-C

1) WE WERE ABLE TO CONTACT HERBERT STEINGASS, MANAGER, ORBITRONIC GERAETEVERTRIEB, ONLY WITH SOME DIFFICULTY. THE FIRM DOES NOT MAINTAIN REGULAR OFFICE HOURS BECAUSE MR. STEINGASS IS A FULL TIME EMPLOYEE OF ANOTHER FIRM, MAGNETIC AB, ALSO OF MUNICH. AFTER SEVERAL UNSUCCESSFUL TELEPHONIC ATTEMPTS TO REACH IM, WE SENT A REGISTERED LETTER REQUESTING AN APPOINTMENT IN ORDER TO DISCUSS HIS RECENT PURCHASE FROM DEBLIN INTERNATIONAL. INSTEAD OF ARRANGING AN APPOINTMENT, AS REQUESTED, RE REPLIED BY LETTER SUPPLYING THE PURCHASE ORDER NUMBERS OF SIEMENS A.G. WHO, HE CLAIMED, BOUGHT ALL THE EQUIPMENT IN QUESTION.

2) WE THEN SPOKE WITH MR. THOENE, A SIEMENS PROCUREMENT OFFICIAL, WHO CONFIRMED LATER IN WRITING THAT SIEMENS HAD PURCHASED THE EQUIPMENT FROM ORBITRONIC. WHEN ASKED ABOUT THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF THE EQUIPMENT, HE REPLIED THAT THE PERTINENT RECORDS WERE TEMPORARILY UNAVAILABLE DUE TO A REORGANIZATION
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OF FILES AND CONSEQUENTLY HE COULD NOT SUPPLY THAT INFORMATION

AT THIS TIME. HOWEVER, IT WAS HIS OPINION THAT THE EQUIPMENT
WAS TO BE USED BY EITHER THE GERMAN ARMY OR NATO.
IN VIEW OF SIEMENS EXCELLENT REPUTATION AND ITS HISTORY OF STRICT
COMPLIANCE WITH US EXCON REGULATIONS, WE CONSIDER THE INFORMATION
PROVIDED BY THE FIRM SUFFICIENT PROOF THAT SUBJECT EQUIPMENT WAS
DISPOSED OF IN ACCORDANCE WITH U.S. REGULATIONS. SPIVACK

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